

Welcome Back Schedule for Students:

<http://www.nmt.edu/mainpage/events/welcome.html>

Registration, Payment, and Validation Instructions:

<http://www.nmt.edu/mainpage/registration/instructions.html>

## **August 13 - 24, 2007**

### **Monday, August 13**

**Student Apartments Open**

### **Friday, August 17**

**New Student Registration:** Fidel Center. Students starting in the Fall semester 2007 may register. Orientation is on Aug. 18. Contact: 1-800-428-TECH. For schedule, see:

<http://www.nmt.edu/mainpage/admission/registration.html>

### **Saturday, August 18**

**Orientation:** Fidel Center. For new students starting in the Fall semester 2007. Contact: 1-800-428-TECH.

**Socorro Community Yard Sale:** all day, around Socorro. Stock up for the new semester! On Plaza: Farmers' Market, arts and crafts, music. Sidewalk sale around town by Socorro merchants. Yard sales all over town. For details, see <http://www.nmt.edu/mainpage/news/2007/12july02.html>

### **Sunday, August 19**

**Book Sale:** 9 a.m. to 3 p.m., near Fidel. Benefits Miners' Ink. To donate books, contact Karen Balch at 835-5412. Also selling raffle tickets for books autographed by New Mexico authors.

### **Monday, August 20**

**Welcome Back Day:** Registration and Validation, second floor of Fidel. For details, see <http://www.nmt.edu/mainpage/events/welcome.html>

**Book Sale:** 9 a.m. to 3 p.m., near Fidel. Benefits Miners' Ink. To donate books, contact Karen Balch at 835-5412. Also selling raffle tickets for books autographed by New Mexico authors.

**Community Info Fair:** 10 a.m. to 4 p.m., Fidel Atrium. Community businesses and groups can make contact with Tech students.

**New Student Convocation:** 5 p.m., Macey Center. Keynote address: Dr. Lynda Walsh speaks on "Sins Against Science."

## **Tuesday, August 21**

**Classes begin**

## **Wednesday, August 22**

**Auditions:** 5:30 p.m., Macey Center. Auditions for "Wings," a musical comedy based on a Mark Twain story, by Socorro playwright George Terrell. Directed by Eileen Comstock. For details, see <http://www.nmt.edu/mainpage/events/auditions.html>

## **Friday, August 24**

**Tech Club-Club Macey:** 4 - 7 p.m., Macey Center. Welcome back! TCCM is a 21-and-over club for New Mexico Tech faculty, staff, students, and friends.

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## **SCOPE Notices**

### **NEWS:**

--New Mexico Tech is one of five colleges featured in Popular Science's Sept. 2007 issue.

--Regents Meeting, Aug. 4, <http://www.nmt.edu/mainpage/regents/07aug6.html>

--Vivoni Awarded "Most Promising Engineer"  
<http://www.nmt.edu/mainpage/news/2007/6aug01.html>

--Capital Campaign Begins for Children's Center,  
<http://www.nmt.edu/mainpage/giving/cc.html>

## **NMT AT STATE FAIR:**

--New Mexico Tech will have an outdoor booth for two days at the State Fair in Albuquerque. Admission and Public Information personnel will be present, but any Tech departments, divisions, or organizations who want to display or demonstrate things are also welcome.

- Monday, Sept. 10, COLLEGE DAY. Contact: Allison Costello, 505-366-2560.
- Friday, Sept. 14, SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY DAY. Contact: Kathy Hedges, 505-835-5618

## **SCHOLARSHIPS FOR CURRENT STUDENTS:**

--Tech's Office of Financial Aid has announced several scholarships of interest to Tech students.

- New Mexico Space Grant Consortium has scholarships available for graduate and undergraduate engineering, science, and math majors. Scholarships are \$5000 for graduate students and \$2000 for undergrads.
- Chevron/Texaco has scholarships available for majors in chemical, mechanical, and petroleum engineering.

For details, see <http://www.nmt.edu/prospective/admin/sch/drkpurple.htm> or visit the Financial Aid Office, 2nd floor, Fidel Center.

## **INTERNATIONAL FLAGS:**

--The international flags in front of Fidel Center represent countries that Tech students come from. The U.S. and New Mexico flags fly in front of Brown Hall daily.

--From Aug 13 - 26, Fidel flags represent Philippines, Poland, Russia, Saudi Arabia, Spain, Switzerland, and Vietnam

## **COMMUNITY INFORMATION FAIR:**

--The Student Association will host a community information fair on Monday, August 20, from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. in Fidel Atrium. Community groups, including local businesses, who want to reach new and returning Tech students, are

invited to have a table at the fair

**BOOKS SOUGHT:** --*Miners' Ink* is accepting book donations for the upcoming book sale, to be held on Sunday, Aug. 19. We will gladly accept any type or genre. To arrange a pickup, call 835-5412 or drop off at Fitch 111.

## **WRITERS WANTED!**

Write reviews, columns, and editorials! Get paid! Paydirt is the student newspaper of New Mexico Tech. Schedule:

- Content due: Aug. 14; paper should appear Aug. 21.
- Content due: Aug. 28; paper should appear Sept. 4
- Content due: Sept. 11; paper should appear Sept. 18
- Content due: Oct. 2; paper should appear Oct. 16. Pre-49ers issue
- Content due: Oct. 16; paper should appear Oct. 23. Post-49ers, special color issue
- Content due: Nov. 1; paper should appear Nov. 6
- Content due: Nov. 19; paper should appear Nov. 26
- Content due: Nov. 26; paper should appear on Dec. 7. Finals issue

## **REGISTRAR'S OFFICE (FIDEL SECOND FLOOR:)**

### **Important Academic Dates:**

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Monday, August 20: **Welcome Back Day:**

**Registration**, Registrar's Office, 2nd floor, Fidel Center

- Graduate students: 8:30 to 9:30 a.m.
- Seniors: 9:30 to 10:30 a.m.
- Juniors: 10:30 a.m. to noon
- Sophomores: Noon to 1:30 p.m.
- Freshmen and Special Students: 1:30 p.m. to 3 p.m.

**Validation**

- 8 a.m. to 4 p.m., Cashier's Window
- 8 a.m. to 5 p.m., Student Accounts, 2nd floor, Fidel Center

**New Student Convocation:** 5 p.m., Macey Center.

Tuesday, Aug. 21: **Classes begin**

Friday, Aug. 31: **Online Registration Closes**

Monday, Sept. 3: **Academic and Staff Holiday**

Friday, Sept. 7: **Registration Closes** Last day to add or drop classes without a "W" on your transcript.

Wednesday, Oct. 10: **Midsemester**

Friday, Oct. 19: **Academic Holiday, 49ers Celebration**

Saturday, Oct. 20: **49ers Celebration**

Thursday, Nov. 22: **Academic and Staff Holiday**

Friday, Nov. 23: **Academic and Staff Holiday**

Nov. 26 - 30: **Registration for Spring 2008:** Monday, Graduate students and Tech scholars; Tuesday, seniors; Wednesday, juniors; Thursday, sophomores; Friday, freshmen.

Friday, Dec. 7: **Last Day of Classes**

Saturday, Dec.: **Finals begin**

Thurs., Dec. 13: **Last day of finals**

--Questions concerning academic policies, degrees, grades, etc. are welcome at our office. Come by and see us.

## **JOB OPENINGS AT TECH:**

Full descriptions of job openings are available at Job Openings, <http://externalweb.nmt.edu/hr/>. New Mexico Tech is an Equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action Institution.

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***SCOPE is a twice-weekly newsletter for the New Mexico Tech community, provided as a service by the Public Information Office.*** SCOPE is generally emailed on Mondays and Thursdays during academic semesters. There is no specific deadline. Events are entered on a rolling basis as they come in.